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Applicants : Jiangchun Xu et al.  
Application No. : 09/232,880  
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Commissioner for Patents:

In response to the Office Action dated February 13, 2001, please extend the period of time for response one month, to expire on June 13, 2001. Enclosed are a Petition for an Extension of Time and the requisite fee. Please amend the application as follows: